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Applicant: James Stoffer et al.

Title: CORROSION RESISTANT COATINGS

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- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.).
- ☒ Communication Re: Missing Parts (1 pg.).
- ☒ A signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (5 pgs.).
- ☒ Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pgs.).
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.) 1449 (3 pgs) and copies of three cited documents.
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment (19 pgs.).

**Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.**

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of **\$1483** as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$1933** for a Small Entity

01 FC:2001	385.00 OP
02 FC:2201	430.00 OP
03 FC:2202	1053.00 OP
04 FC:2051	65.00 OP

- **\$385** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$1483**
  - **\$430** for **10** independent claims over 3.

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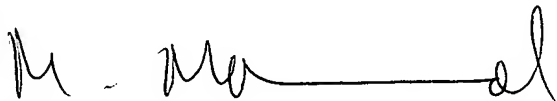
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- \$1053 for 117 total claims over 20.

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Applicants assume the application is now in proper order and in condition for examination. Please direct any inquiries to the undersigned attorney at 515-233-3865.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,  
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